Reference the AMSAT "Petition for Reconsideration, I am responding as an individual rather than a mentor to Cal Poly University. Amateur radio is a lifetime career resulting in membership of the board of Project Oscar, the first amateur satellite organization. Over 40 years of knowledge has been given and gained during this time and now is required by our country more than ever before. Both Project Oscar and AMSAT-NA (Amateur Satellite Corporation North America) are committed to education of young people through Amateur radio. We need your help to accomplish this! As a retired professor I am determined to instruct. As a amateur radio licensee of fifty five years my goal remains to instruct and do so in a practical, hands on fashion. There is no better way than through amateur radio and the AMSAT/CUBESAT program. I ask you to accept the AMSAT proposal.. Cliff Buttschardt K7RR